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Sent:

Friday, October 19, 2018 12:58 PM

To:

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Subject:

RE: Neuhauser: Final report and Test America attachment

Joyce,

Per Test America:

"Patrick,

The attachments were the Denver labs SOPs and lab quality assurance management plan. This is what our contracts administrator replied:

We believe that our SOPs are confidential and proprietary or trade secret materials, so we request that they be protected from public disclosure pursuant to the Colorado Revised Statutes. § 24-72-201 et seq. (2017).

Let me know if you need anything more Dave"

Please hold Test America's SOPs from the public record and treat as business confidential.

Thanks, Patrick

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Subject: Neuhauser: Final report and Test America attachment

Hi Patrick – We are sending the Final Report to our site file. We noticed something in Appendix A (Drum Removal Work Plan) Attachment A (QMPs and Contractor Qualifications). The submittal provided by Test America states "This document contains valuable confidential and proprietary information. Disclosure, use, or reproduction of these materials without the written authorization of Test America is strictly prohibited..."

Does Stratus wish to have Test America waive that claim so that the document may be provided to requesters, such as a request under the Freedom of Information Act? Or should that document be handled as Confidential Business Information?

Thanks!

## Joyce

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